



**Joint Information Center – JIC Release No. 960  
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**307th COVID-19-related Fatality Reported;  
Cumulative COVID-19 Test Results: 295 New Cases, 70 Hospitalized;  
61 Cases with Variants of Concern Identified;  
Additional COVID-19 Updates**

**307th COVID-19-related Fatality Reported**

Today, the Joint Information Center was notified that Guam’s 307th COVID-19-related fatality was pronounced dead on arrival at the U.S. Naval Hospital (USNH) Guam on February 11, 2022. The patient was a 78-year-old male, vaccinated, with underlying health conditions who tested positive on February 11.

“While our individual efforts have not gone unnoticed, we remain in the firm grip of this pandemic. To his family and those who loved him, Jeff, Josh, and I extend our deepest sympathies and condolences,” said Governor Lou Leon Guerrero. “It is not enough to only wash our hands, watch our distance, and wear our mask but we must also continue vaccinations and booster shots. For those with sick and vulnerable family members, there are a variety of treatments available to help those with the virus get better faster. We can and we will resurface from these hard times but only with the collective efforts of our entire community.”

**DON’T WAIT UNTIL IT’S TOO LATE.**

Look for emergency warning signs for COVID-19. Call 911 if you have trouble breathing, persistent pain or pressure in the chest, new confusion, inability to wake or stay awake, or bluish lips or face. Individuals who are sick are advised to:

- Stay home, except to seek medical care. Call ahead before visiting the clinic/doctor.
- Monitor for symptoms of COVID-19 including fever, cough, and shortness of breath, fatigue, body aches, headaches, loss of taste or smell, sore throat, congestion, nausea and/or diarrhea.
- Get tested if you have symptoms of COVID-19. While waiting for test results, you should stay away from others, including staying apart from those living in your household.

**Older Adults, People with Serious Chronic Medical Conditions are Most at Risk for Serious Complications and Death Due to SARS-CoV-2/COVID-19**

Serious chronic medical conditions include:

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| ● Heart disease                                     | ● Chronic renal disease                      |
| ● Diabetes  | ● Neurologic or neurodevelopmental condition |
| ● Lung disease                                      | ● Current or former smoking                  |
| ● Obesity   | ● Chronic liver disease                      |
| ● Immunocompromised conditions (e.g. cancer, lupus) |  |

## 70 Hospitalized for COVID-19

CENSUS as of 5 p.m.	GMH	GRMC	USNH	TOTAL
COVID-19 Admission	39	29	2	70
Pediatric Admissions	3	-	-	3
ICU	4	2	1	7
Ventilator	2	1	-	3

VACCINATION STATUS	VACCINATED	UNVACCINATED	INELIGIBLE (0-4 years old)
Hospitalized	37	31	2
Total in Population*	134,096	7,511	12,229
Rate per 100,000 Population	28	413	16

*SPECIAL NOTE: Based on today's data, if we were to compare two (2) hypothetical populations of 100,000 people each, vaccinated versus unvaccinated, there would be 28 vaccinated people hospitalized for COVID-19 compared to 413 unvaccinated people hospitalized for COVID-19. The risk of being hospitalized for COVID-19 is about 15 times higher for the unvaccinated as compared to the vaccinated. \*Estimated population is based on DPHSS Immunization Program analysis of 2020 Census data. Updates are expected pending further Census 2020 data breakdown.*

## Cumulative COVID-19 Test Results: 295 New Cases Reported February 12 – 14

From February 12–14, 2022, the Department of Public Health and Social Services (DPHSS) reported **295** new cases of COVID-19. **82** of these cases were reported through the Department of Defense. **The 295 new cases does not include cases previously reported in [JIC Release No. 958](#) and [959](#).** The breakdown of the cumulative results is below:

- February 14: **63** of **293** test positive for COVID-19
- February 13: **410** of **1,262** test positive for COVID-19 ([345 cases previously reported](#)).
- February 12: **512** of **1,320** test positive for COVID-19 ([345 cases previously reported](#)).

To date, there have been a total of **40,280** officially reported cases, **307** deaths, **5,173** cases in active isolation, and **34,800** not in active isolation.

## 61 Cases with Variants of Concern Identified

DPHSS received sixty-one (61) new results from virus samples on Monday collected on Guam between January 2 to January 10, 2022, which have undergone genome sequencing by the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC). DPHSS received the fourteenth set of results from the CDC. Of the 61 samples, 60 were identified as the Omicron Variant of Concern (VOC), while one (1) was identified as the Delta VOC. The breakdown is as follows:

### Omicron

- Thirty-nine (39) BA.1
- Twenty-one (21) BA.1.1

### Delta

- One (1) AY.25

To date, 541 SARS-CoV-2 virus samples have been submitted to the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and the Hawaii DOH State Lab Division for genome sequencing and identified a total of three hundred ninety-one (391) COVID-19 cases with variants. DPHSS

previously reported variants from results from the CDC and the Hawaii DOH State Lab and identified the following:

- eighty-nine (89) cases identified with the B.1.1.7 Alpha variant
- four (4) cases identified with the B.1.351 Beta variant
- two hundred fifty-six (256) cases identified with the Delta variant and its sublineages
- fourteen (14) cases identified with the B.1.429 Epsilon variant
- one (1) case identified with the P.1 Gamma variant
- twenty-seven (27) cases identified with the Omicron variant and its sublineages

<b>FREE COVID-19 COMMUNITY TESTING</b> Fill out a <a href="https://dphss.guam.gov/covid-19-testing">COVID-19 Testing Patient Assessment Form</a> ahead of time, available at <a href="https://dphss.guam.gov/covid-19-testing">dphss.guam.gov/covid-19-testing</a> .	
<b>Feb. 15–19, 2022:</b> 8 a.m. - 12 p.m., 1 p.m. to 3 p.m.	<b>Old Carnival Grounds, Tiyan, Barrigada</b> COVID-19 testing will be offered by appointment through <a href="https://tinyurl.com/covidstopswithme">tinyurl.com/covidstopswithme</a> . <b>Four adults per vehicle.</b> Bring a photo ID. Travel-related testing will not be offered.
<b>Feb. 15–19, 2022:</b> 9 a.m. - 12 p.m.	<b>DPHSS Southern Region Community Health Center, Inalåhan</b> By appointment only for individuals with COVID-like symptoms. <b>Four adults per vehicle.</b> Bring a photo ID. Travel-related testing will not be offered. Call (671) 828-7604/5/7518. <b>Register at <a href="https://tinyurl.com/covidstopswithme">tinyurl.com/covidstopswithme</a></b> <hr/> <b>DPHSS Northern Region Community Health Center, Dededo</b> Call (671) 635-4418/7400 to schedule an appointment. Last appointment is 30 minutes before closing. Walk-ins welcome. Curbside vaccination available for people with disabilities. <b>Register at <a href="https://tinyurl.com/covidstopswithme">tinyurl.com/covidstopswithme</a></b>

<b>FREE COVID-19 VACCINATION CLINICS (AGES 5 AND OVER)</b> FIRST DOSES, SECOND DOSES, AND BOOSTER SHOTS AVAILABLE Pfizer-BioNTech, Moderna, Johnson & Johnson	
<b>Feb. 15–19:</b> 11 a.m. - 5 p.m. Thursday: CLOSED	<b>University of Guam Field House, Mangilao: Register: <a href="https://tinyurl.com/vaxguam">tinyurl.com/vaxguam</a></b> Walk-ins are welcome, but appointments will be expedited. Bring appointment confirmation and proof of identity. Last appointment is 30 minutes before closing.
<b>Feb. 15–19, 2022:</b> 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.	<b>DPHSS Northern Region Community Health Center, Dededo</b> Call 671-635-4418/7400 to schedule an appointment. Last appointment is 30 minutes before closing. Walk-ins welcome. Curbside vaccination available for people with disabilities. <b>Register at <a href="https://tinyurl.com/covidstopswithme">tinyurl.com/covidstopswithme</a></b>
<b>Feb. 15–18, 2022:</b> 9 a.m. - 12 p.m.	<b>DPHSS Southern Region Community Health Center, Inalåhan</b> Call (671) 828-7604/5/7518 to schedule an appointment. Last appointment is 30 minutes before closing. Walk-ins welcome. Curbside vaccination available for people with disabilities. <b>Register at <a href="https://tinyurl.com/covidstopswithme">tinyurl.com/covidstopswithme</a></b>
<b>Feb. 15, 2022:</b> 3 p.m. - 6 p.m.	<b>Inarajan Elementary School</b> After-school vaccination clinic open to the community. Walk-ins welcome. Minors must have birth certificate, parents must have government-issued photo ID.
<b>Feb. 16, 2022:</b> 3 p.m. - 6 p.m.	<b>J.Q. San Miguel Elementary School</b> After-school vaccination clinic open to the community. Walk-ins welcome. Minors must have birth certificate, parents must have government-issued photo ID.

<b>Feb. 17, 2022:</b> 3 p.m. - 6 p.m.	<b>Adacao Elementary School</b> After-school vaccination clinic open to the community. Walk-ins welcome. Minors must have birth certificate, parents must have government-issued photo ID.
<b>Feb. 19, 2022:</b> 9 a.m. - 12 p.m.	<b>Dededo Mayor's Office, Dededo - Register at <a href="https://tinyurl.com/covidstopswithme">tinyurl.com/covidstopswithme</a></b> COVID-19 vaccination support clinic for families of children with disabilities and also open to the community. Walk-ins are welcome, but appointments will be expedited. Bring appointment confirmation and proof of identity. Minors must have a birth certificate, parents must have a government-issued photo ID. Last appointment is 30 minutes before closing.
<b>Feb. 26, 2022:</b> 9 a.m. - 12 p.m.	<b>Agat Gym, Hågat - Register at <a href="https://tinyurl.com/covidstopswithme">tinyurl.com/covidstopswithme</a></b> COVID-19 vaccination support clinic for families of children with disabilities and also open to the community. Walk-ins are welcome, but appointments will be expedited. Bring appointment confirmation and proof of identity. Minors must have a birth certificate, parents must have a government-issued photo ID. Last appointment is 30 minutes before closing.

### Food Commodities Distribution Continues

GDOE, State Agency for the Emergency Food Assistance Program (TEFAP) under the U.S. Department of Agriculture Food Nutrition Service distribution will be available to village constituents only on a first-come, first-served basis. Distribution is limited to three households per vehicle at the sites. Face masks must be worn; bring a photo ID.

Date	Location	Distribution Method - While Supplies Last	# of Bags
Thursday, Feb. 17, 2022	Malesso	Door-to-door distribution begins at 9 a.m. for the manåmko, individuals with disabilities, and those who have been furloughed. For Malesso constituents only, while supplies last. For more info, call the Mayor's Office at 671-828-2941/8312.	450
	Talofofo	Drive-thru distribution begins at 10 a.m. at the Talofofo Gym and Door-to-door distribution for the manåmko and those without transportation. For Talofofo constituents only, while supplies last. For more info, call the Mayor's Office at 671-789-1421.	425
Friday, Feb. 18, 2022	Agat	Drive-thru distribution begins at 1 p.m. at the Agat Community Center. For Agat constituents only, while supplies last. For more info, call the Mayor's Office at 671-565-2524.	400

### Guam COVID-19 Vaccination Update

As of February 13, 2022, a total of **134,096** of Guam's eligible population (residents 5 years and older) is fully vaccinated. This total includes **13,204** residents 12 – 17 years old. **7,138** residents 5 – 11 years old received their first dose of the Pfizer-BioNTech two dose series. **4,959** residents 5 – 11 years old have completed their two-dose series. An additional **294** residents received their booster shots and a total of **53,606** booster shots have been administered to eligible residents since September 29, 2021.

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For the latest information on COVID-19, visit [dphss.guam.gov](https://dphss.guam.gov) or [guamrecovery.com](https://guamrecovery.com). For inquiries, contact 311 through a local number, or call the Joint Information Center at (671) 478-0208/09/10.